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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT
OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF LEGAL METROLOGY

(G.O. Ms. No. 34, Puducherry, dated 19th March 2026)

NOTIFICATION

I. General :

The Draft of the following rules further to amend the Puducherry Legal Metrology (Enforcement) Rules, 2011, after consultation with the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, Department of Consumer Affairs, Government of India *vide* their Letter No. I-19/63/2024-W&M Section, dated 06-06-2025 and in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (4) of Section 53 of the Legal Metrology Act, 2009, the Lieutenant-Governor, Puducherry, has proposed to make the

following Amendment, which is hereby published for information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and the notice is hereby given that the said Draft Rules shall be taken into consideration on the expiry of ten days from the date of publication of this Notification in the Official Gazette.

II. Suggestions and Recommendations :

Any objections or suggestions which may be received from any person by the Government of Puducherry in respect of the said Draft Rules within the period as specified above shall be considered by the Government. The objections or suggestions shall be addressed to the Secretary to Government (Revenue), Chief Secretariat, Goubert Avenue, Government of Puducherry.

DRAFT RULES

I. *Short title and commencement.*— 1. These rules may be called the Puducherry Legal Metrology (Enforcement) (Amendment) Rules, 2025.

2. They shall come into force on and from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. *Amendment of Rule 9 (3).*— 1. In the Puducherry Legal Metrology (Enforcement) Rules, 2011, in rule 9, for sub-rule (3), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:—

“(3) Only beam scale of class A or class B category or a non-automatic weighing instrument of high accuracy class (class II) or special accuracy class (class I) having verification interval of 1 mg or less than 1 mg shall be used in any transaction or protection referred to in sub-rules (1) and (2).”

2. If, any doubt arises in the implementation of the rule, the decision of the Government is the final.

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

MATHEW FRANCIS,
Under Secretary to Government (Revenue).